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JURY OUT LONG IN ROUPE CASE

Charge to Jury Made at 4:30 O'clock Wednesday—Return Delayed

CASE SENSATIONAL ONE

Excitement reigned intense about the county court house at Washington today where the verdict of the jury sitting in the murder case of Mrs. Lillian Roupe, charged with shooting her husband to death was awaited. The jury was out all night and up until noon today had not returned a verdict.

The fate of Mrs. Roupe was placed in the keeping of the jury at 4:30 o'clock Wednesday evening after all testimony had been taken and after attorneys had made their addresses and Judge J. A. McIlvaine given his charge to the jury.

The case is one of the most sensational of years in criminal court annals. Mrs. Roupe maintains strongly that her husband came home intoxicated on the night of December 31 last, the night on which the shooting occurred. He tried to make her dance she testified, at the point of a revolver and she seizd the weapon. In the struggle the gun went off and he was mortally wounded. In the hospital a little later Roupe declaring himself to be in his proper senses formally accused his wife of causing his death, making a death-bed statement. Numhearing which has lasted a good part erous details were brought out at the of t his week. Toward the last of the trial Mrs. Roupe showed plainly the effects of the strain, though in the earlier part of the week she bore up well. Today under the suspense of waiting the verdict of the jury she nearly gave way.

Churn Gold 5 pounds for $1.05 at Bonnell's. 292-t3

"NUF CED", SAYS BUCHANAN ABOUT EDDIE HAZEL CASE

To the Editor of Charleroi Mail:

Three parties from Monongahela representing Eddie Hazel came to me Thursday evening May 18th and asked me to use Hazel in a bout here in our next show. I told them I would and everything was O. K. until I signed up Young Manfredo of Pittsburg to meet him. Manfredo knocked Hazel out in four rounds in Pittsburg recently. Nuf Ced.

James Buchanan,
Mgr. Charleroi Boxing Club.
Charleroi, Pa., May 25, 1916.

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CALIFORNIA WOMAN VALUES HER AFFECTIONS AT $5,000

Zeny Krobcak of the California section, values her affections at $5,000. This is the sum she asks of Frank Markovich for his alleged breach of promise. She avers that on January 1, 1915, he promised to marry her and she has been ready and willing to carry out the contract. Notwithstanding the promise of the defendant she avers he was in January 15, 1915, a short time after his promise to marry her, married to another woman.

HIRING OF OWENS AS AN INSPECTOR IS CONFIRMED

Members of Council Confer in Regard To Details of Grading and Paving Work in The Borough

Confirmation of the instructions which had gone forth to employ Thomas Owens as inspector of grading and paving work being done in Charleroi was made at a conference of councilmen at the borough building Wednesday evening. Also explanation was made by Contractor Cornish of the firm of Brooks & Cornish of work that had been worrying some. It appears that some of the members of council even did not unerdstand some of the technical details.

Long alley had been the point of objections, but the r satisfied the members of council that he was living up to his word. Council decided that a wall should be erected on Fifth street where a deep cut has been necessary.

The work of gr... ing rapidly and will be finished on the various s... the borough within a few days. Borough Engineer T. J. Allen generally is supervising the work.

BUSY DAYS AHEAD AT ELDORA PARK

Charleroi Schools' Picnic to be Big Feature of Coming Monday

TO OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY

With the season well opened, some big dates are ahead at Eldora park, Next Monday the Charleroi school picnic will be held. Then on Tuesday the usual Memorial Day events will be celebrated.

The Charleroi school picnic is an annual affair as is the Monongahela school picnic which was held last Tuesday. Plans for it will be much the same as usual in connection with a school outing. Children will be transported to the park on special cars and upon their arrival there will be given an opportunity to enjoy the amusement privileges.

Memorial day will be fashioned into an old fashioned public picnic, following a custom which has proved attractive in previous years. Dancing will be a feature afternoon and evening and arrangements will be made for caring for one of the monster crowds of the season.

No outings have been booked for Wednesday following Memorial day and the park will then be put in the best of shape for the outing the next day which will be held by the Monessen schools, providing agreeable transportation arrangements can be put through. Friday may be devoted to a picnic of the Roscoe schools.

On the coming Sunday, afternoon and evening concerts will be given and crowds are anticipated. Last Sunday's concerts by the Louhi band of Monessen proved entertaining features and drew well.

WANTED—To communicate with party having small home for sale who would accept straight monthly payments of $25.00 and interest. Call Bell Phone 7—J, Charleroi. 290-t3-*

FINE IMPOSED ON PRICEDALE MAN

Is Charged With Operating Jitney Bus Without Borough License

DRIVERS OBEY INSTRUCTIONS

Appearing before the burgess to answer to the charge of operating a jitney bus without a borough license K. W. Alfilhan of Pricedale Wednesday evening was fined $5 and costs This was virtually the first violator brought before the burgess since the strict traffic law enforcement began this week. Alfilhan was warned against the repetition of a similar offense.

A Latrobe driver, Mame Brant has not yet responded to a summons issued for driving past a Fallowfield avenue street car, which was loading passengers. If there is no response within a few days the owner of the car will be sent for on information.

Numerous drivers have been instructed against leaving their cars standing on the streets faced the wrong way and there has been a disposition shown thus far to obey the injunction.

There has been a strict enforcement of the crossing rules at the corner of Fifth street and McKean avenue and as a result many an unwary driver has been compelled to stop his machine, back carefully and make the turn in accordance with orders.

COMMITTEES NAMED FOR SCHOOL PICNIC

Assistants to Aid Children in Getting To Cars Next Monday Appointed For Each Building—Police to Assist as Usual.

Committees have been selected for the annual school picnic and outing to be held by the Charleroi schools at Eldora park Monday. Following is the list:

Fifth street school—Dr. F. C. Stahlman, Dr. J. K. Smith. Dr. T. M. Faddis, T. P. Grant, D. R. Hormell.

Ninth street school—H. J. Booth. J. K. Brumbaugh, J. K. Mitchell, J. B. Schafer, W. D. Pollock, J. W. Carroll, J. F. Laird, C. S. VanVoorhis.

Second street building—R. C. Mountser. C. R. Newcomer, Ira L. Nickeson, H. L. Swickey, Dr. A. O. Davis, C M Wertz, L B. Frye, Dr. J. W. Hunter.

Crest avenue building—Dr. H. J. Repman, Rev. C. P. Bastian, Dr. J. B. Barth, W. R. Gaut, J. W. Mathias, L. Greenberg, R. O. Vetter, William Gelder.

As usual the police will assist in getting children on the cars to the park.

Notice.

Hiney the Barber has moved to the Palace Barber Shop, McKean avenue. 292-t2p—*

GRUESOME FIND MADE BY GIRLS

Body of Unknown Discovered in the Bushes Near Baird Station

NO CLUE TO MAN'S IDENTITY

Mystery is attached to the finding of the decomposed body of an unknown man not far from the Baird Station tower about a mile south of Donora Wednesday afternoon about 2 o'clock. The body was taken in charge by Deputy Coroner James A. Rabe of Donora and buried without identification being reached.

The body was discovered by two girls who were picking flowers near Baird station. Upon their gruesome discovery they caused Deputy Coroner Rabe to be notified and he went for the body. From the man's face it was impossible to tell anything. There was nothing in his clothing to indicate his identity. From the condition of thebody the man had been dead from six to eight months. The man had on a dark suit, a gray sweater coat, a grey overcoat and a gray soft hat.

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MOON GIRL ACT PLAYING RETURN AT THE PALACE

An act that proved a sensation on a previous appearance here a few weeks ago is being featured at the Palace theatre the last three days of this week in The Moon Girl and the Mermaid company. Miss Julia Wynn is the Moon girl and she goes floating over her audiences singing songs. The act is mystifying and sensational In addition to the Moon girl act Manager Barnhart has other attractive features included in his high class vaudeville and motion picture program.

Country Butter 28c pound at Bonnell's. 292-t3

Steel Products' Team to Play.

The Pittsburg Steel Products team will play at Monessen this evening at 6 o'clock the fast Vesta No. 5 nine from Fredericktown. The Products' team's battery will be Lavery and Courtley. The Products team will open in Charleroi on June 17.

Deed Recorded.

May 9, 1916—Charles R. Trew, et ux., Charleroi to John D. Stringer, et ux., Monessen, a lot in the Rabe plan, Eldora, Carroll township; coal reserved; consideration $450.

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THE MOON GIRL AT THE PALACE

BOXING----BATTLING JOE DAILY OF COLUMBUS VS. BABE PICATO OF NEW CASTLE AT RINK SATURDAY

MUCH INTEREST IN THE COMING OF DEAN CHAMBERS

Popular University of Pittsburg Speaker to Make Address Tonight At Commercial Exercises.

Much interest is being manifested in the coming tonight of Dean W. G. Chambers of the school of education, University of Pittsburg, to make the address at the commercial department exercises at high school. Dean Chambers is known as one of the best speakers of the Pittsburg institution and is a man highly regarded in educational circles of the western end of the state.

In addition to the address by Dean Chambers an interesting program will be carried out. Music will be a feature. The high school orchestra and mandolin club will play and musical numbers will be contributed by the Misses Dessie Blaker and Olivia Connelly, Miss Mary Thomas. Essays will be handled by Miss Jessie Forsythe and Miss Marie Ewing and the presentation of certificates will be by H. J. Booth a member of the school board.

Both the exercises tonight and the commencement tomorrow night will be free.

MONESSEN NAMED FOR CONVENTION

Christian Church Delegates Take Up Official Business at Meeting

PROGRAM IS CARRIED OUT

Officers were elected and Monessen selected as the next meeting place of the business session this morning of the district convention of the Western Pennsylvania Christian Missionary society and Christian Women's Board of Missions. Officers elected were: President, Rev. E. N. Dury, Charleroi; vice president, J. B. Luce, Monessen; secretary, Rev. B. C. Hibler, Belle Vernon. The next convention will be held at about this time of year in 1917.

Among the business taken up this morning was that of the adoption of resolutions. They pertained largely to denominational activities. One urged the state convention to have the church year of Western Pennsylvania Christian churches close June 30.

The program was carried out as outlined Wednesday afternoon and evening. Rev. B. C. Hibler of Belle Vernon and Rev. J. B. Swain of Monessen were afternoon speakers. Rev. Percy Davis of Monongahela conducted devotions and a symposion, "Making Good in the Local Church" was taken up. Discussing this theme, Rev. B. C. Hibler of Belle Vernon spoke of "Plans," Rev. J. B. Swain of Monessen of "The Preacher," Rev A. C. Young of Pittsburg "Problems" and Rev. Robert A. Honn of California of "Extension." A general discussion followed.

This afternoon the Women's Mission Board is holding a session. Miss Elsie Taylor of Pittsburg and Mrs. T. W. Phillips of New Castle state workers are present.

Beautiful Fragrant Jasmine bloom from "The Sunny South" at Kinder Floral Co., $1.00 per dozen. 282-t2—*

HERRON LEADS BY OFFICIAL COUNT

With J. Rankin Martin Will Represent 24th District at Convention

GETS BIG VOTE IN COUNTY

The Republicans of the 24th Congressional district, comprising the counties of Washington, Beaver and Lawrence will be represented in the national convention at Chicago, the week of June 7, by Joseph A. Herron, of Monongahela and Attorney J. Rankin Martin of Beaver Falls. Both these candidates ran as "unpledged and uninstructed" delegates.

The official vote which has been completed in all three counties, shows that Mr. Herron defeated James H. Cunningham, of Beaver, running on the Brumbaugh ticket by 61 votes. Mr. Herron's total vote in the district is 5,957 and that of Mr. Cunningham 5,896. Mr. Martin received the highest vote of any of the three candidates, receiving a total of 6,488. E. I. Phillips, of New Castle was fourth with 4,760 and Mr. Spells of Washington, fifth with 1,682.

Mr. Cunningham, the most consistent vote getter, running a close second in his own county a close second in Lawrence county and third in Washington county. Mr. Herron polled a comparatively light vote in both of the other counties of the district, being fourth man in these counties and receiving but 2,147 votes out of his total of 5,957. It was the large vote of 3,810 in his home county which landed him a winner over Mr. Cunningham. Martin, the leading candidate was second in this county, first in his own county, and ran third in Lawrence county. The vote for Mr. Spells in Washington county was surprisingly large, he receiving 46 more votes than Mr. Phillips.

The alternates to the Republican national convention are Attorney C. L. V. Acheson of Washington and R. R. Brown of Ellwood City, Lawrence county. Mr. Acheson led the list with 5,926 votes and Brown was second with 5,917. Dickey of New Castle was a very poor third with 5,816. Mr. Andrews of New Castle was fourth with 5,488. Mr. Acheson ran as an instructed delegate on the Brumbaugh ticket and Brown ran uninstructed. Both Acheson and Brown were supporters of Roosevelt four years ago.

The official vote for the delegates and alternates in each of the three counties and total in district, follows:

24th District (Official.)

	Wash.	Beav.	Law.	Total
Cunningham	1622	2411	1863	5896
Herron	3810	1181	966	5957
Martin	2401	2838	1249	6488
Philips	1226	1193	2341	4760
Spells	1272	303	107	1682
Alternate Delegates.				
Acheson	2755	1756	1415	5926
Andrews	1738	1750	2000	5488
Brown	2924	1695	1298	5917
Dickey	2552	1499	1816	5867

VICTOR MOORE AND ANITA KING APPEAR IN "THE RACE"

Victor Moore and Anita King, the Paramount girl, will be starred in the great automobile story "The Race" at the Coyle theatre tonight. "The Race' is founded upon Miss King's recent trancontinental motor trip. The drama is thrilling from beginning to end. Tomorrow night at the Coyle the featuring attraction will be a Griffith production.

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A GREAT AUTOMOBILE TRIP.

The automobile has scored [illegible] trans-continental trip. [illegible] Baker made the [illegible] Angeles to New York [illegible] miles in seven days [illegible].

That is only [illegible] by the fastest through trains [illegible] use a route [illegible] the automobile put the railroads to shame, states the Pennsylvania [illegible] it. Mr. Baker used [illegible] drove it every mile of the way himself. It takes 22 locomotives to make the same trip, and many changes of crews. The train, it must be remembered, has a smooth track all the way and the automobile has to travel through mountains, deserts plains and swamps with all sorts of highways and sometimes no highways at all. Mr. Baker was delayed by mud, sand, by rocky trails by the blowing out of tires in the hot desert by the accidental loss of fuel and oil. And yet for long sections of the trip, he made better time than the United States mails. A letter mailed at Los Angeles before he started, and addressed to him at Dodge City, Kan., arrived there two hours after him. A postcard was mailed to him at Emporia, Kan., just after he had passed through, addressed to him at New York City. He beat it by an hour.

This is not only a great sporting achievement for the driver. It means something for the development of the automobile. As a test of mechanical perfection and endurance, it is worth incomparably more than all the purposeless racing of higher-power cars on speedways. For this was a standard car such as hundreds of thousands of citizens are driving every day. And if such a car can cross the the continent now in seven days and a half, what may be expected after a few more years of automobile evolution and improved highways?

ANOTHER INCREASE.

Life just now seems to be just one increase of cost after another. Now it is shoes which are to take another upward slant. A meeting of the National Retail Shoe Dealers' association and kindred bodies is to be held in Philadelphia this week. A billion dollars in manufacturers will be represented. The object of the conference is to bring together the leading men of the leather trade, says the Uniontown Herald and to arrange to obviate the chaotic condition in the trade.

Since the beginning of the war, according to A. C. McGowan, presidnt of the association, shoes have advanced one dollar in price and will soon advance another dollar. The conference hopes to prepare the public for this. Here is what Mr. McGowan says about it:

"The war will last for some time. The United States must continue to produce shoes for the greater part of the world. Prices will continue to rise unless something is done, such as substituting cloth tops to save leather. The tanneries simply cannot keep up with the demands. Three hundred million dollars worth of goods with which the dealers were overstocked have been thrown on the market without breaking prices."

The high shoe pinches but most of us have to continue to wear it.

There is no thought of vengeance in the enforcement of a reasonable observance of the automobile laws, but rather a sense of right and justice to all concerned. One driver says, "if we all understand what the regulations are, automobiling will be simplified. It has been easier to drive through the heart of Pittsburg than it has through the heart of Charleroi —you can be reasonably certain what the other fellow will do in Pittsburg." There you have it. The automobile men want consistency in the enforcement of the automobile laws, and want wise traffic regulations. When their understanding is complete, violations will be few.

As the Charleroi automobile traffic regulations go into effect, together with it, might be added, Speers' regulations, the need of a sidewalk along the Speers' road is made all the more apparent. A driveway is naturally enough for the use of vehicles, but setting it aside for this purpose exclusively leaves the pedestrian without a place to go unless he cares to argue the right of way with a railroad train or street car or trust to luck to get through a convenient field without being assailed by some irate owner. An accident occurred recently along Lincoln avenue extension that might not have occurred had there been a sidewalk, and various accidents, less serious, would have been prevented on the Speers' highway with sidewalk space. There is no argument about the need of a sidewalk for pedestrians. The problem is to get it.

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"Peggy"

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Of all the various brands of "nuts" the action picture scenario writing "nut" stands supreme. Like any other film star, Clara Kimball Young receives hundreds of queer manuscripts fondly labelled "scenarios," but one that came in last week deserves special attention. In fact it wasn't a scenario, but a letter about one entitled "Detained in a Mad House or the Adventures of Bessie."

The writer didn't send the story, he said because he didn't trust the mails

"But," he said, "if you want to come and see me I will read it to you." The postmark was Lebanan, Pa.

The Pewamo "News" says, according to Roy K. Moulton, "Having your office upstairs may be inconvenient at times, but it has its advantages in times of peace as well as war. The first thing we done when we moved in our new home over the baker was to go into executive session with the village carpenter and commissioned him to rebuild the stairway on the plan of the old-fashioned window shutter, which could be controlled with a lever just inside the sanctum door. Now when we see a bill collector approaching from afar we don't stand in fear and trembling like we used to. No siree! With all due solemnity for the occasion we assume our position and just as he approacheth nigh unto the top, over goes the lever, the stairs present a perfect plane and down goes the collector. Being a collector, the first thing he does is to collect his scattered personality. Then he gazes around, sees the steps in position, concludes he must have stepped on a banana peel and up he goes again. We have had some of the more persistent ones try it as high as four and five times before the great light dawned and they concluded to wander forth far into the reaches of the distance where stairs are stable and the hardhearted printer sojourneth not."

Notice to Teachers.

The Fallowfield Township School Board will meet at Bank of Charleroi Charleroi, Pa., on Saturday, May 27, 1916 at one o'clock sharp for the purpose of electing nine teachers for a term of seven months. Wages $65.00 per month. School to commence the 4th day of September, 1916. All applicants must be present withcertificates.

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Monongahela, R. D. No. 2, Pa.
Wesley Young, Secy
Speers, R. D. No. 1., Pa.
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Housewife Works for Others.

The "hired girl" does not yearn for technical training, according to the women who have conducted a Minneapolis survey of the domestic help problems: also, they say, the average household could not afford to employ a highly skilled worker in the hinterland of the back porch. Eros, it seems, is quick to discover comely cooks who have gained proficiency, and the housewife's time and labor in training a girl all go to making comfy some home other than her own.

TOSSES 29 HOURS ON ADRIATIC SEA

Young American Airman Adds to Long List of Perilous Adventures.

RESCUED BY TORPEDO BOAT

Searching for Submarines of Italy's Foe, Hydroplane Goes Wrong and Drops Doherty to Water—Seeks Further Adventure.

Milan, Italy.—William Ellwood Doherty, a young American whose career as an airman has abounded in perilous adventures, has just added to his list a battle for life lasting more than twenty-nine hours in the wintry waters of the Adriatic. Once before he had been stranded in the same sea in midsummer and collapsed from thirst and heat, and this time he met the other extreme of weather, battling with a northern gale, and was rescued when on the verge of exhaustion.

Austrian submarines were infesting the Adriatic while the Italians were sending troop ships across to Albania. Doherty set out in a Curtiss hydroplane to patrol the passage and give warning of danger. He left Taranto at two o'clock in the afternoon with an Italian helper. As daylight was falling the motor broke down, and the hydroplane dropped to the water.

Italian vessels were in sight, but did not see Doherty's signals for help With darkness the wind rose and waves broke over the tiny craft Doherty tore away the drip pan of the machine. The two cold, hungry watersoaked men used it to bail with By working one at a time without stopping they were able to keep afloat, although every high wave gave them a fresh drenching.

They had lost their scant provisions in the descent to the water, and in the tossing of the hydroplane their cigarettes and matches went overboard.

The weather became intensely cold In the respite from bailing the air man who was free kept lookout for a ship. One came in sight several hours after dark, but passed on, not seeing the smoke bombs with which the aviators tried to hail it. Through out the night and all the next morning the men relieved each other with the drip pan bailer.

Finally, too tired to work longer and despairing of rescue, Doherty curled up in the end of the craft Sleep overcame him, but he had nightmare and was roused when a lurch of the plane nearly spilled him into the sea. Again he took his turn at bailing.

The specter of death was before the eyes of both men when night fell once more. Then a torpedo boat headed toward them appeared on the horizon. They exploded more smoke bombs and wildly waved their signal flags. This time they were seen. The torpedo boat approached, lowered a small boat and rescued men and wreck twenty miles from shore.

Italian craft had been looking for Doherty and his companion ever since the machine failed them. Allowance had not been made for the wind, which blew the unforturates seaward, and the search was confined to an area comparatively near shore until the torpedo boat struck out into the open

Naval commanders who had engaged in the early search reported the first night that Doherty and his companion probably were lost. Their return to shore was hailed as little short of miraculous.

Doherty recovered within a day from the effects of his exposure. Substitutes had taken over his patrol duty in the Adriatic, however, and he decided to shift his field of activity. He has gone to Paris and London in search of further adventure.

PROPOSE A MARRIAGE TRUST

Justices of the Peace in Indiana Who May Get Together Upon Ceremonies.

Jeffersonville, Ind.—Some of the six justices of the peace of Jefferson, who fight among themselves for 'marriage couples," are proposing a combination whereby all six would establish central marrying parlors and would pool and divide equally all their earnings.

The chief benefit would be the elimination of the "runners," with whom the justices now split their fees, which only in exceptional cases amount to more than $3. One result of the competition has been the cutting of fees. Many eloping couples now get married for $1. Secret weddings generally cost the elopers a little more, and a $25 fee shows up once in a while.

No Animal Heads in Mails.

Reno, Nev.—Coyote and wild cat heads by parcel post proved too much for the patience of Fred L. White, postmaster of Reno, and he took the question of the right to make such shipments by mail up with the postmaster general. He has just received information that such articles are not mailable and cannot be delivered if mailed. The heads have been coming in lately in large quantities from different parts of the state. They are sent in to the state university for examination for rabies.

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AULD ACQUAINTANCE.

Should auld acquaintance be forgot, as we shall beat it on? Shall we forget the long ago, the time to us that's gone? The friends that helped us in our need, in good old days of yore? Should they be blotted from our mind, and never thought of more? No, that would be disloyal, it would not be wise or just, to bury with the past that's dead, to mingle with the dust, the many acts of kindness that have helped us on our way, accorded to us by our friends that's kept us in the fray. But things there are we should forget—there's much should be confined to dust and ashes of the past, erased at once from mind; the evil and the not worth while, the rubbish, thorns and trash, that's added much unpleasantness, that's caused at times a clash, and played a most important part in blocking things of worth, to which we were entitled—our inheritance by birth. Forever such should be destroyed, obliterated quite, our deck thus cleared for action—it's a cinch we'd win the fight. Errin H. Gingles

ELECTRIC SPARKS

"How to run an automobile without exceeding the speed limit" is the suggested title for a new pamphlet the need of which is admitted.

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A Pullman fan never moves very fast but with a good imagination it is a wonder in cooling things.

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Summer's surely coming. Bob Coyle's going to open Shady Grove on May 30.—Uniontown Herald.

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The vacation folders just received make a fellow feel almost miserable enought to commit crime.

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The English language has 82 sounds, not counting thesounds a silly young man makes when calling on his best girl.

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Making promises is more of a habit with some than keeping them.

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There are numerous engagements in Europe not of Leap Year origin.

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"Roosevelt may lead Progressives back into G. O. P. folds," asserts an exchange. There isn't much leading left to be done.

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Manager Griffith of Washington says he'll sell Walter Johnson to Cleveland—for the United States Treasury, printing and engraving plant and the mint. He talks like Sir Edward Grey.—Uniontown Herald.

Hard on the Wrist Watch.

"It is a fact," declared a jeweler, "that the average watch carried by a woman never keeps accurate time." The reason for his remark was that a dark-eyed young woman had just passed out of the store after having had her new wrist watch regulated. The young lady couldn't understand why a brand-new timepiece should get out of order so quickly, but the jeweler explained it all. "Now that girl is a very popular young lady," he said. "A lot of the young men of Fitchburg call on her. She also has scores of friends among the young women. She goes about the city quite a good deal and is constantly meeting her friends. Probably she meets 25 persons a day or more. If she doesn't stop to speak to all of them, she at least waves her hand. The wrist on that dainty hand carries the watch. The works are inside of the watch. Naturally they get shaken up pretty lively every day. Now a watch to keep correct time ought to remain fairly quiet. That's the whole story about this young woman's wrist watch. She will probably blame the fault upon the jeweler when, as a matter of fact, it is all due to her popularity."—Fitchburg News.

Mononongahela Valley Motorcycle Club

will hold its First Sociable Run to Weeeling, W. Va, and Return on

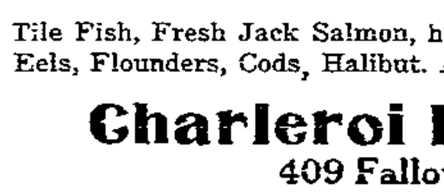
DECORATION DAY

All Riders Welcome COME!!

All riders from this section will leave Albright's Cycle Store at 8 a. m. and meet another delegation at Beallsville. Over 200 riders will leave Beallsville at 9 a. m.

Notice to the Public:

The Monongahela Valley Motorcycle Club is in no way connected with any would-be race held at the Belle Vernon Race Track on Decoration Day and is not responsible for any misrepresentation there. C. L. HUDSON, Sec'y.



EAT FISH ON FRIDAY

Tile Fish, Fresh Jack Salmon, hard Fish, White Fish, Yelow Perch, Eels, Flounders, Cods, Halibut. All other kinds Eggs & Chickens.

Charleroi Fish Market
409 Fallowfield Ave.

SAVING THE FENCE POSTS

Charring Has Been Found to Be One of the Best of the Methods Devised.

A common method of treating fence posts to prevent decay where they go into the ground has been charring the butts. But now comes the forestry department of the Missouri college of agriculture with the results of experiments showing that although charcoal cannot rot, it does crack so badly that the little fungi that cause rot get through and shorten the life of the posts so treated.

Charring, the experimenters found, failed to lengthen the life of willow, cottonwood, ironwood, hackberry or basswood sufficiently to make them satisfactory post materials, and probably white walnut, hickory, white elm, sassafras and red bud are not helped much either, although tests with them have not been continued long enough to give the final results. Charring appeared to give much better results in cases of black walnut, river birch, oak, hedge, sugar maple, black locust, honey locust, Kentucky coffee tree, dogwood, black ash and catalpa. The sapwood of catalpa, hedge, black walnut and black locust was almost completely burned in charring.

With the failure of the charring methods as a preservative from rot, the college men have turned to the use of creosote to save fence posts from decay.—Country Gentleman.

To Launder Fringed Cloths.

Fringed cloths are often quite ruined in appearance at the laundry. They may be made to look like new for an indefinite period if when they are starched a little care is taken not to starch the fringe. Fold each cloth in four, like a handkerchief, and then gather the fringe of each part into the hand and hold it firmly while you dip the middle into the starch. When the cloth is dry shake the fringe well and comb it with a comb and it will fall as softly and prettily as when new.

ITS PLACE.

"Where is my 'elephant's breath' dress?"

"Just where it ought to be—in the trunk."

I. BIRKIN
YOUR FRIEND IN NEED

Money Loaned on Jewelry Diamonds and Valuables at the lowest possible rates

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Unredeemed goods can be bought at the lowest prices

MONEY TO LOAN
$5 & up--no advance charges
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American Loan Co.
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FOR SALE

10 rooms on Lookout Ave	$2,800
8 rooms on Lincoln Ave	$2,300
4 rooms at Maple Creek	$1,500
5 rooms on Third St.	$1,600
8 rooms on Washington Ave.	$1,800
6 rooms on Crest Ave.	$2,250

FOR RENT

8 rooms and bath, extra good	$32.00
9 rooms and bath, extra good	$30.00

160 lots for less than $100.00 each.

I. P. HEPLER,
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Charleroi, Pa.

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MIDDY BLOUSES

An Unusual Collection . . . $1 to $2

Between These Price Limits, a Style Range That
Charms For Its Newness
Mothers will welcome this good news:

A Shipment of Middy Blouses Just Arrived

Girls' Middy Blouses of plain white, trimmed with colored bands on the arms and colored collars at.....$1.00
Awning striped Middys. Colors: blue, pink and rose at.....$1.25
Middy Skirts, a good quality linene, each.....50c
Middy Suits, awning stripe styles, per suit.....$2.00

WOMAN'S GAY SPORT SKIRTS
OF AWNING STRIPES

When you think what a jolly flash of color these make for an outing skirt, you won't wonder at us calling your attention to this line.

At $6.00 white cotton gabardine with stripes of bright colors.

At $6.50 are skirts of Mohair with bright awning stripes of colors.

MILLINERY SPECIAL
ALL READY TRIMMED HATS GREATLY REDUCED
25 per cent to 33 1-3 off regular price.

NEW WAISTS OF INTEREST

New Summer Waist of silks, organdies, madras, voiles, in white and colors.

Waists from $1 to $5.00

New White Dresses for Girls, made of dainty lawn with designs and some of lace insertion and other frills, so dear to the heart of girls of 6 to 14 years.

$2.75, $3.00, $3.50, to $5.00

WOMEN'S SUITS
Attractive in Style and Value.
That every woman should see. These suits must be sold regardless of cost.

Suit Values from $12.50 to $25.00
Reduced to $8.00 to $15.00.

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SUFFERED YEARS OF TORTURE CURED IN ONE MONTH

Many Cases Suffering For Years And Thought to be Incurable, Now Being Healed.

A prominent citizen of Alliance, O., writes: "For years I suffered with eczema on my face. Our leading druggist recommended Amolox. I bought one box of ointment and two bottles of liquid and one cake of soap. After a month's treatment I am completely cured. It has been several months since using it and my face is perfectly smooth, with no sign of a return of the trouble.

Amolox, the new scientific prescription for the relief and cure of skin diseases, now at leading drug stores, 50c trial size. Piper's Pharmacy will refund the money if it fails to do what we claim for it.

Send postal for free sample to Amolox Laboratories, Youngstown, Ohio.

Divorce Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Jennie Jacquelin Trenton vs David Trenton subpoena sur libel for divorce. No. 43, May term, 1916.

Notice To Respondent

To David Trenton, respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington ,to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of July next ,being the third day of the month, to answer the petition of libel hereto preferred by the libellant, Jennie Jacquelin Trenton your wife and show cause if any you have why the said Jennie Jacquelin Trenton should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly, in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

Frank B. Wickerham,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
May 8, 1916.
D. M. McCloskey, Atty.
M-11-18-25-J-1

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Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter s Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Notice to Building Contractors

Sealed proposals will be received by the Controller of Washington County at his office, Washington, Pa., until 12 o'clock noon, May 29th, 1916 and opened at 1:30 o'clock p. m. of the same day in the office of the County Commissioners for the furnishing of material and erection of a two story brick Hospital and Ward Building at the County Home, Arden, Pa.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the office of the County Commissioners or at the County Home. A Certified Check for 5 per cent of the bid must accompany each bid.

First estimate not payable before August 15th, 1916. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

T. J. Underwood,
County Controller.
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NEWS FROM THE FARM CLUBS

Kansas Mothers and Daughters Can Much Home-Grown Product—Wyoming Boy Raises Potatoes.

A Kansas mother-daughter canning club, consisting of 11 mothers and 11 daughters, canned 2,000 quarts of home-grown products last season, according to a report from the state agent.

A Wyoming club boy is reported to have produced 70 bushels of potatoes on one-eighth acre. He made a net profit of $80.65, and also earned the state championship.

The champion potato-club boy of Montana is reported to have produced 65 bushels of potatoes on his one-tenth-acre plat, at a cost of $15.63. His net profit was $47.27.

Several fruit growers stated at a recent Minnesota horticultural society's meeting that they were able to get top prices for fruit sold through commission men. Inquiry showed that these men have established a reputation for good packing and good fruit, and the commission men are anxious to get their fruit.

Peanuts Served Free With Meals.

Down in the jeweiry section of Maiden Lane, New York, there is a restaurant where peanuts are piled high in dishes on every table.

So far as is known this is the only establishment to maintain help-yourself dishes for which no charge is made.

Among the patrons nearly all dip into the peanut dish about pie time, but the number of peanuts eaten in a day is not great.

The manager says he has always believed that there should be something served in a restaurant with the compliments of the house.

Like the late George Francis Train, he maintains that peanuts are good for digestion.

NORTH CHARLEROI.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens of Ganksville were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. C. M. Gillmer.

Mrs. G. E. Parks is spending the day at Fairview

Mrs. C. C. Jeffries of Crafton and Mrs. J. C. Rollands of Homestead were guests at the home of their sister Mrs. I. O. Nevel.

Mrs. Thomas McVey and Mrs. Thomas Jenkins were callers in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Albert Eyman and baby spent Sunday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Andrew Post of McKeesport.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Booth, Mr. and Mrs. L. R Booth and Miss Sara Booth spent Sunday with friends in Connellsville.

Miss Myrtle Wilson spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Wilson of Wilkinsburg. She also attended the Pitt Field meet held in Pittsburg.

Erwin Rumble of Greensboro visited at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Harry Vaughn, Monday.

Mrs. Louisa Boyer of Donora is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. O. Nevel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Culp attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, J. Scott in Dravosburg.

Miss Ruth Geho and sister, Mrs. James Small of Belle Vernon were guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Geho.

Mrs. Thomas McVey spent Monday at the home of her daughter in Mossessen.

Mrs. Fred Randon spent Tuesday in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Sidney McConnell and daughter, Lucille and Mrs. Finley Waltz of Elizabeth visited at the home of their sister, Mrs. A. P. Culp.

Mrs. Clyde Bradley visited relatives in Donora this week.

Miss Eleanore Reed and George Hott, Miss Opal Espy, Miss Francis Hott and Miss Helen Phillips spent Sunday in Monongahela.

Miss Mabyl Wernke was a recent caller in McKeesport.

Mrs. A. J. Weight is slowly recuperating from illness.

William Vankirk of Pittsburg spent Sunday with Robert McGowan.

Miss Pearl Eisley of Beaver Falls is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Zollers.

Miss Josephine Stump who has been teaching at Sharon is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stump.

Miss Julia Parrish of Donora was the recent guest of Mrs. H.T. Renolds.

Mrs. M. J. Brown of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Stump.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Bell spent Sunday with friends in Belle Verson.

Mrs. John H. Myers was a recent caller in Pittsburg.

PERSONALS

Lawrence B. Frye and C. S. McKean have returned from the State Conclave, Knights Templar at Scranton.

Misses Bertha Haines and May Barth were in Monessen Wednesday evening the guests of Miss Myrtle Clerkenson.

Mrs. Lottie Hammitt of Belle Vernon is visiting with her sister, Mrs. George Woodwall of Washington avenue.

Miss Cecelia McDermott visited at Pittsburg Wednesday.

Mrs. D. H. Swan of Crest avenue spent Thursday in Pittsburg.

Delber Carson is ill at his home on Meadow avenue.

Miss Merle Minor has returned to her home near Carmichaels after visiting with Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Wright.

Mrs. J. H. Bowers and daughter Miss Jean of Fallowfield avenue visited at Pittsburg Thursday.

Mrs. A. G. Lewis of Meadow avenue has gone to Morgantown, W. Va., where she will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Steinbaugh and family of Fallowfield avenue motored to Pittsburg Wednesday.

Misses Georgene Parsons, May Barth and Mary Chester went to Donora Wednesday and participated in a Musical Tea given by the Donora Women's Club.

Mrs. C. W. Albright, Jr., and daughter Lespith are visiting with Mrs. Anna Patrick at Monessen.

Mrs. Willis McCook, Jr., of Third street visited with her mother Mrs. Ogden Norris of Pittsburg Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Wernke spent Wednesday in Pittsburg.

Mrs. H. D. Mason and son of Bellevue are here to visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John H. Frye of Fifth street.

A party was held in honor to John G. Albright at his home on McKean avenue Wednesday evening it being his birthday. The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham Belle Vernon. A theatre party, card playing and singing were diversions of the evening. Mrs. Albright served lunch.

Mrs. Luther Griffith has returned to her home at Youngstown after visiting with her aunt Mrs. L. J. Robertson of McKean avenue. She was accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Robertson who will return to Beaver Falls to spend several weeks with her aunt Mrs. H. A. Graham.

Dr. Fisher a medical examiner was a business caller in Charleroi Wednesday.

Mrs. F. W. Brady and son have gone to Monongahela to visit with her brother A. D. Phillips.

DECREES MADE FOR ADOPTION OF CHILDREN

Decrees have been made for the adoption of Ada Pearl Young and Charles Burns by Mrs. Sarah French, of Bentleyville, widow of the late Dr. E. E. French. The mother of the Burns child formerly lived at the French home and at the time when the Burns child was about eight months old. Since that time the child has been with the French family. The whereabouts of the mother are not now known, she not having been to see her son for about four years. The father of the Young child is dead and the mother consents that it become the adopted child of Mrs.French.

FRAGRANT JASMINES RECEIVED FROM SOUTH

Another Texas shipment of blooms peculiar to the "Sunny South" has been received by I. V. Kinder of the Kinder Floral company. These blooms are the fragrant jasmine. They have a sort of spicy scent that makes them desirable for decorative effect.

Country Butter 28c pound at Bonnell's. 292-t3

W. L. Zollers of West Newton visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zollers.

Miss Grace Phillips is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Phillips of Uniontown.

Friends of Mrs. Hiram Foulks are glad to know that she was able to be moved to the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Samuel Gaskill. Mrs. Foulks underwent a serious operation in the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, but is convalescing rapidly.

Saturday evening was very pleasantly spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Reynolds when an entertainment was given in the form of a social by the First Baptist church of Donora. The proceeds will go to the church represented.

Mrs. W. F. Hagerty is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Mary Metz of McDonald spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Metz.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Richardson were visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs. C. E. Stepherson of Crafton Heights.

COUNSEL FOR M'PHERSON FILE MOTION ASKING FOR NEW TRIAL

Maintained That Verdict in Monongahela Manslaughter Case Was Not In Accord With the Evidence

Counsel for Samuel McPherson of Monongahela, convicted late Saturday night of manslaughter for the killing of Wallace J. Hilton at Monongahela on August 18, 1915 Wednesday afternoon filed a motion for a new trial. That was the last day on which to file such a motion. The case was ordered on the next argument list and that means McPherson will not be called for sentence until some further disposition of the case, provided a new trial is not granted. The reasons set forth in the motion is that the verdict is against the evidence and against the weight of the evidence. Leave is given to file additional reasons later.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a bake sale Saturday at J. M. Fleming's store. 282-t2

O. K. Butterine 5 lbs $1.00 at Bonnell's. 292-t3

WILL SERVE A LOCKUP TERM IN INSTALLMENTS

Serving a lockup sentence by installments is the latest thing in punitive fashions in Fayette county. Justice of the Peace Henry O'Neil of Smithfield, is the originator. William Morrison a night telegrapher for the Baltimore and Ohio railroad in Smithfield was arrested Sunday for speeding. He was given his choice between a $10 fine or 24 hours in the lockup. He chose the latter. Baltimore and Ohio officials could not get a man to fill Morison's position on short notice and Justice O'Neil released the prisoner Monday evening in time to go to work on the promise that he would return Tuesday morning and complete his term. Morrison worked Monday night and returned to the lockup next morning. He was released last evening.

DON'T WANT POPULAR AIRS IN NATIONAL ANTHEM

An effort will be made by members of Camp Walter E. Brown, Veterans of Foreign Wars to have musicians play the "Star Spangled Banner" from start to finish without mixing popular airs. Soldiers and members of patriotic organizations point out that it is embarassing when bands begin to play the national hymn and everybody stands and then the band switches to some ragtime number and the audience is required to remain standing. The patriotic orders of this vicinity have started a campaign for funds to erect a monument at Connellsville to the memory of the soldiers who fell in the campaigns in Cuba the Philippines and the Boxer rebellion in China.

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"WHEN LOVE IS KING" IS MAJESTIC FEATURE

"When Love is King" is the production being featured at the Majestic theatre today by Manager W. S. Sweeney. This is a charming feature of which the story is suggested by the title. Carroll McComas and Richard Tucker are to be seen in the leading roles. Tomorrow a Triangle program will be presented. Announcement is being made of the coming of Billie Burke in a big feature production.

BRIOCHE IS SOMETHING NEW

Guests at Luncheon or Tea Will Be Sure to Appreciate This Delicacy, Properly Made.

One cake yeast, one-half cupful milk, scalded and cooled, two tablespoonfuls sugar, four cupfuls sifted flour, one cupful butter, eight eggs, one teaspoonful salt.

Dissolve yeast and one tablespoonful sugar in luke-warm milk, add one cupful of flour to make sponge. Beat well. Cover and set to rise in warm place, free from draft, until light—about three-quarters of an hour.

To the rest of the flour add one tablespoonful sugar, butter softened, four eggs and salt. Beat all in well. Add sponge and beat again thoroughly; then the other four eggs, unbeaten, one at a time, beating thoroughly. Cover and let rise until light—about four hours, and beat again.

Chill in refrigerator overnight. In the morning, shape by rolling under hand into long strips about 27 inches long and three-fourths inch thick, bringing ends together, and twist like a rope. Form into rings, place on well-buttered pans to rise.

When double in size, glaze with white of egg diluted with water. Bake in a moderate oven fifteen minutes. Ice while hot, with plain frosting. Spread with almonds.

PICATO SUBSTITUTED FOR RAY IN SATURDAY SHOW

New Castle Fighter to Face Columbus Man—Good Preliminaries Booked by Charleroi Club.

A substitution has been made in the Charleroi Boxing Club's main bout of the coming show to be held at the Charleroi skating rink Saturday night in that Babe Picato of New Castle one of the best known battlers of the western end of the state will fight Battling Joe Dailey of Columbus in Johnny Ray's place. Dailey is one of the most feared men in Ohio and Pennsylvania, and so is Picato. In fact both are among the best for the weight which averages about 135 pounds.

In addition to the Dailey-Picato argument preliminaries of a high class nature have been booked. The reason for Ray's absence from the ring Saturday is that he has to undergo an operation.

LIBEL SUIT HEARD IN COMMON PLEAS COURT AT WASHINGTON

F. W. Foye, a contractor of Brownsville is the plaintiff and the Lilley Coal & Coke Co., and John H. Moffitt, secretary are defendants in a liel suit heard before Judge R. W. Irwin in common pleas court Wednesday. The action is a sequel to a former suit in which Mr. Foye sued the defendant coal company for extra expense incurred in sinking shafts for the defendant coal company near West Brownsville. In that suit Mr. Foye secured a verdict for $3,633.25.

The present suit is based on a letter written by the Lilley Coal & Coke Co., per John H. Moffitt, secretary to J. W. Devison of the Federal Coal & Coke Co., of Fayette county, relative to the ability of Mr. Foye as a contractor. In this letter, which is in evidence, Mr. Foye is charged with having due to "recklessness, carelessness and error," lost for the Lilley Coal & Coke Co., between $8,000 and $10,000. It is alleged that this letter was prompted by malicious spirit for the purpose of preventing the plaintiff from securing a contract from the Federal Coal & Coke Co., and that it was written from the fact that the Lilley Coal & Coke Co was "smarting" under the verdict secured against it by Mr. Foye.

Notice.

To correct a misapprehension notice is hereby given that the motorcycle races to be held at Belle Vernon on May 30, are in no way connected with the Monongahela Valley F. A. M., club. Members of this club are therefore not permitted to compete, according to F. A. M. rules.

C. W. Albright, Jr., Pres.
C. L. Hudson, Sec.
292-t1

CLASSIFIED

LOST—Gold pin engraved Marie. Finder return to Lock 4 Post office. 291-t3

WANTED—Sleeping porch on the hill. Inquire 729 Mail. 287-tf

WANTED—25 men to work on Fredericktown-Beallsville road. Pay 25 cents per hour. Take Pennsylvania train to Centerville and apply on work to Hastings & Piper. 288-t6

FOR SALE—Modern 5 room house with bath, Fallowfield avenue, good location, $2600. Union Realty Co., 600 Fallowfield avenue. 290-t3

FOR SALE—Laying hens $75c and $1.00 each. S. W. Leghorns, Wycoff strain. One Pen of 20 breeding hens and cockerel, 40 hens one and two years old, all laying and sound. No diseased chickens, greatest layers on market. Reason for selling, to make room for young chicks. Write O. C. Deter, Bentleyville, Pa., or take Bentleyville car to Grove. 290-t2p

WANTED—Girl for general housework 330 Washington avenue 290-tf

FOUND—Pocketbook containing sum of money. Owner call at 733 Mail office, prove property and pay for this ad. 292-t2

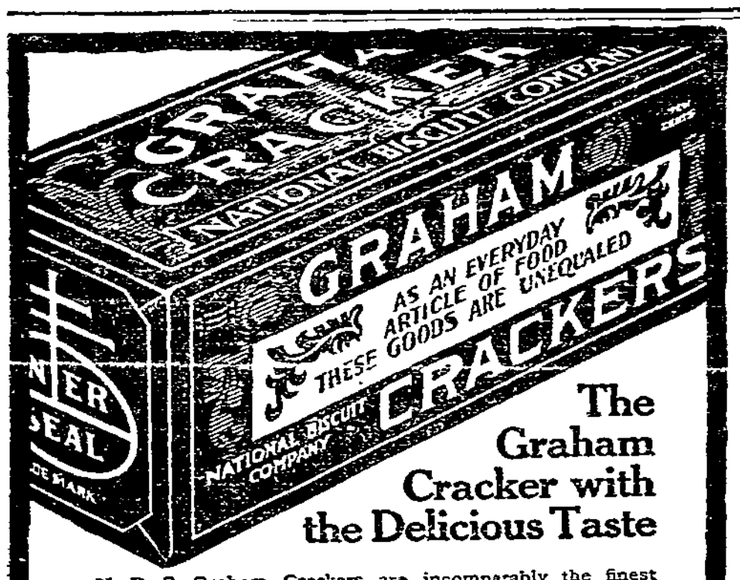
FOR RENT—Four rooms with kitchen, 618 McKean. 292-t3

FOR SALE—Two Hoover brooders. Worth each $8.50. Sell both for that. Used two months. John Buchanan, 609 Washington. 292-t5

FOR SALE—One light delivery truck. Just overhauled and repaired. Looks like new. Something similar to a Ford. Will sell very cheap. Apply 734 Mail office. 292-tf

TAKE HOME A 25c SPECIAL BRICK OF VELVET ICE CREAM

And get a beautiful 42 piece set ofDishes FREE. A coupon in every brick. All First class dealers have them. Try one



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Try N. B. C. Graham Crackers for their delicious nut-like flavor and flaky crispness. Use them regularly at meals and between meals, because they are as digestible as they are nourishing.

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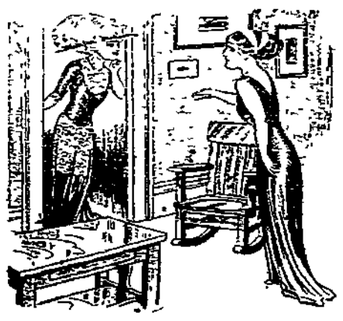

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Economylooks like an up hill game when you first start. Sometimes it is: but it is the road to prosperity. Persevere in your small economies and you will find this out. Your extravagance does not draw interest, you will pay interest on your extravagance, some day.

If you will start now, to save a little each week, you can some day enjoy the luxuries you crave without missing the money.

OUR BANK affords you an opportunity to begin in a small way to-day. OBEY THAT IMPULSE.

BANK OF CHARLEROI

RESOURCES OVER $1,800,000.00

EUGENE FAU

We have just received a sample line of fancy parasols, about 75 in all. They are now on sale. Prices, from

$1.00 to $4.00

If you are in need of one, and wish to save money, buy here and now.

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THEN PARROT LAID AN EGG

Queer Paroxisms of Bird Cause Much Excitement and Hurried Call for Veterinarian.

Riverside, Cal.—The hurried administration of red pepper pills, under the orders of a veterinarian and the hurried application of hot flannel clothes and other family remedies, all designed to save the life of Opal, the pet white parrot at the Mission Inn occasioned great excitement among the patrons of that hostelry.

Frank A. Miller, master of the inn took personal care of the bird, which was found to be writhing in seeming paroxisms of pain and making the air vocal with squawkings. After submitting to the sympathetic treatment of its friends for a time, the bird calmly laid an egg. Opal's first achievement along this line, although she is twenty years old.

$500 FOR AN OLD KINDNESS

Mrs. Albertson of Sedalia, Mo., Was Good to an Orphan and He Repays Her.

Sedalia, Mo.—Mrs. J. T. Albertson, wife of a Sedalia painter, has received a check for $500 from Daniel C. Jacklin of San Francisco. as a recognition of kindness extended to him years ago, when as an orphan he worked on the Albertson farm near here.

Jacklin was left penniless when his parents died, but he worked his way through the Warrensburg Normal school and the Rolla School of Mines. He then went West, and as a mining engineer has accumulated wealth.

His earnings run into the thousands yearly, and he receives large dividends from eighteen mining corporations in which he is a stockholder. He wants Mr. and Mrs. Albertson to join him on an eastern trip.

NEARLY 100, FIGHTS DEATH

Mrs. Liggett of Denver Thinks Faith Will Keep Her Alive at Least Century.

Denver.—Faith contends with death at the home of Mrs. Jane Liggett, and the physicians say faith's battle may be a winning one, at least until Mrs. Liggett passes her one hundredth year.

Mrs. Liggett believes in the power of prophecy. and it feeds the faith that she shall live to see the coming of the Messiah, a prediction made for some of those who lived in the time of "the falling stars," and witnessed the phenomenon. Mrs. Liggett will be one hundred May 13.

"It is not willed that all who saw the shower of stars will see the coming of the Messiah," said the little white-haired woman, ' but I believe God has chosen me for one of the number."

Arrests His Own Son.

San Jose, Cal.—Because he believes the majesty of the law should be upheld, despite the anguish of seeing his son sent to the penitentiary, Town Marshal Butler of Mountain View arrested his son, Lloyd, on a charge of burgiary and refused to use his influence to obtain probation for him.

The youth was sentenced to imprisonment in San Quentin for one year.

Reward for Honesty.

New Brunswick, N. J.—Miss Ethel A. Wood recently returned $200 to the education board for instruction she did not complete. News of her action reached her cousin. William B. French. in Los Angeles. He has just died leaving her $75,000 as a reward for her honesty.

Girl Babies Superior.

Lafayette, Ind.—Girl babies proved superior to the boy babies in Lafayette's first baby show. The girls won all the first prizes in the various classes. Boy babies took two second and two third prizes.

Cement Shot From Gun.

In order to waterproof the upstream face of the Elephant Butte dam of the United States reclamation service in New Mexico, a wooden raft was launched in the water of the reservoir formed by the structure and from it a mixture of cement, sand and water was shot on the face of the dam by means of a gun operated by compressed air. The coating was applied in horizontal strips about ten feet high and the length of the dam at water level. The mortar waterproofing coating was applied in four layers each about one-fourth of an inch thick. Numerous samples taken from the face of the dam showed perfect adhesion of the waterproofing coat to the original concrete.—Engineering Record.

A Mean Hint.

He—Women ought to be so removed from ordinary outside life that men can still look on them as angels.

She—How would the men like them to be recording angels?

BANISH GLOOM IN SUNSHINE

Nothing Like Plenty of Good Daylight to Drive Away Sickness and the "Blues."

If everyone could only realize the tonic effect of a little sunshine we would be both healthier and happier.

Cover some green grass with a piece of carpet for a month and note the result. The grass will have completely changed. It will have lost its color and become almost white. This is exactly what happens to people. If you live in dark, gloomy rooms you cannot be rosy or entirely healthy.

Not only does lack of sunshine impair your health, but it affects your mental attitude. You cannot be an optimist and live in a gloomy place, and who wants to be a pessimist?

Many of the most dreaded germs are completely annihilated by a continued application of sunshine. This is the reason all modern hospitals are built on the pavilion plan, which admits light on all sides.

Disease germs are not the only variety that dread the light.

The germs that breed discontent, pettiness, jealousy and real unhappiness are all bred in darkness.

Did you ever try a brisk walk in the bright sunshine when you seem to be completely surrounded by all sorts of "glooms?" It is a simple remedy; not a costly one, but efficacious. One hour of such treatment will usually rout a whole regiment of these pests.

If you haven't the energy for a walk, put on wraps to keep you warm and sit in an easy chair in the corner of the porch. In lieu of the porch try raising a southern window and sit where the sun will shine on you. If your gloom has not vanished in an hour, you should consult a doctor who doubtless will prescribe for a sluggish liver, for a sick liver will make even rosy glasses reflect a dark glow.

Expensive Repairs.

In order to stimulate his trade, the village blacksmith hung out a sign that read, "Whatever It Is, I Can Repair It." On the morning of April fools' day, the town wag elbowed his way through the usual crowd that was collected round the door, and handed the blacksmith the parts of a broken lamp chimney.

"I'd like you to put this together for me as soon you can, John," he said, winking toward the crowd.

The smith took the ragged bits of glass, examined them carefully while the idlers looked on with considerable amusement. Then he went into the room in the rear of the shop. Stepping across the alley to the grocery store. which was out of sight of the crowd, he bought a ten-cent lamp chimney exactly like the broken one. How everyone laughed when he stepped out of his little room a moment later and put the whole chimney into the astonished wag's hands with the dry remark:

"I'll have to charge half a dollar for that job."

What He Would Do.

There is an Irish priest in the province of Quebec who deserves to be popular. He is hail fellow well met with everyone in the village, asks for contributions, and gets liberal ones, from Protestants and Catholics alike. One day a delegation of Baptists called on him—men who had frequently contributed to Father W.'s church—told him they were going to erect a new Baptist church, as the old one was too small, and asked him to subscribe to the fund.

"Well, boys," he said, after a slight hesitation, "you know my religion forbids my doing that, but I will give you fifty dollars to help tear the old church down.."

Her Potato Glasses.

There's more than one way to handle the cooking problem, as one good housewife has studied out to her own satisfaction. Her eyesight is not as good as once it was. hence she is the possessor of two pairs of glasses.

The other day she was engaged in cooking and she was using the spectacles that she customarily wears about the house. Then as she turned to do something else she was seen to take off her glasses. go into the other room and get the other pair, with the remark:

"I need this pair to work on these potatoes."—Brockton Enterprise.

ALL SORTS.

"How's this—seven different styles of plug hats?"

"The line officers of our lodge. Each bought a plug hat the year he was elected."

IN CHARITY'S NAME.

Henry—Don't you think Miss Hazel is passing fair?

Aimee—Well, to tell you the truth, I think she is already past it.

TRIBUTE TO COLLEGE MEN.

One of the finest recent tributes to the American college is to be found in an article written by an expert in salesmanship who has 160 men working under his direction. His theory is that "the most vital thing to a man is himself." Hence he wants as salesmen men who think most of their own success as sellers, and who will believe, with him, that "the primeval self is the controlling factor in most men."

Consequently, he says, he never employs college graduates. Why? Because, he explains, "the refined man is too apt to think of others, too liable to have had a big proportion of the selfishness worked out of him. For this reason I never look to college graduates." Nevertheless, there are college bred salesmen who have risen above the "primeval self" and who manage to get orders by thinking of buyers' rights as well as sellers' profits. — Christian Science Monitor.

PREFERRED LIFE IN JAIL

Chief of Police Found Himself Unable to Get Rid of Guests He Did Not Want.

George Fitch, the Illinois humorist, had his own ideas abort prison reform schemes. He expressed his attitude one day while discussing Thomas Mott Osborne's humanitarian efforts.

"Osborne's ideas may work out all right," said Fitch, "but whenever I hear of a warden holding surprise parties and rainbow teas in his penitentiary I think of what happened when Tim Cullinan was chief of police in Junction City, Kan.

"Tim, in fact, was the whole police force. He had eleven prisoners on his hands, and was anxious to get rid of them, for they were a heavy responsibility, Tim having to keep watch over the actions of all Junction City.

"'When you feed the critters,' he said to the jailer one day, 'just accidentally leave the door open and get out of sight for awhile.'

"But times were hard and picking up a living outside wasn't so easy. Tim hadn't figured on that, but he did when he came back that evening and found the eleven prisoners still there and seven more who had slipped in while the jailer wasn't looking. Living was better and cheaper inside the jail than outside."

Miles Standish Tale "Myth."

One by one the good old tales that cheered childhood's happy hours are being taken away from us. First comes Sidney George Fisher and declares the Washington hatchet and cherry tree tradition an "exploded myth." Now comes Rev. Paul Sturtevant Howe, rector of the Church of the Advocate, Cape May, and declares that Miles Standish never sent John Alden to woo Priscilla Mullen.

Doctor Howe told the members of the Mayflower society at their annual banquet that he knew there was no foundation for Longfellow's famous poem because he himself was a descendant of John and Priscilla. John Alden "spoke for himself" all the time, said Doctor Howe, and Miles Standish barely knew Priscilla.

ASKED AND ANSWERED.

"What is the easiest way to destroy weeds?" we asked.

"Marry the widow," answered the old farmer

DIETETIC REFORM.

"Do you use much meat in your family, Mrs. Comeup?"

"No indeed; we're all valetudinarians now."

NIGHT OF HORROR IN THE TRENCHES

Vivid Description of His Experience Penned by a French Lieutenant.

MEN'S NERVES SHATTERED

Quiet of Day is Broken by Terrific Bombardment That Makes the Earth Rock Like Ship in a Storm.

Paris.—The Paris Journal prints a most graphic account written by a French lieutenant, in simple but vivid language, of his experience during a heavy bombardment of the French lines recently by the Germans:

"The day was quiet," writes this officer.

"Towards evening we received a broadside of rifle fire, which dislodged a few sandbags. Then everything was quiet again

"At nine o'clock I went below to my dugout for something to eat. Our little table was already set, and the steaming coffee was just placed before me when suddenly there was an explosion that shook the earth beneath our feet and scattered pieces of rock and clay in our midst.

"'It's no use,' said one of the men. 'I see we are not going to be permitted to eat.'

"I climbed back into the trench, and not a sound was heard.

"'Where was the explosion?'

"'To the right,' answered a voice in the dark. 'Be careful; they are sending us those 150-millimeter shells. There's one coming now.'

"I crouched down against the wall and in a twinkling fifty meters of the trench were ground to dust. Sparks flew and dark, gaseous fumes eclipsed the blackness of the night. Then came another shell on its murderous mission, tearing up the earth and accompanied by deafening thunder.

"Things began to look serious. Someone shouted:

"'Lieutenant, there is no sense in your standing there and risking your life!'

"The man was right. I returned to the dugout. The bombardment continued like one continuous roll of thunder. A heavy rock, loosened by the detonations, fell at my feet.

"'And yet we hear,' says one of my men, 'that they are short of ammunition.'

"I was getting tired of this. We had to answer those fellows. I asked the telephone operator to connect me with the commander.

"'There is no answer,' said the operator. 'The wire has probably been shot away.'

"I scribbled something on a piece of paper and handed it to one of my young men.

"'The telephone is disconnected, my friend. See that you get this to the commander. Have a little brandy?'

"'If you please.'

"He smiled, saluted and was off. Fifty meters off he fell with a shot in his neck.

"The bombardment grew more intense Oh, what a night! Our trenches seemed to sway to and fro, like the deck of a ship in a storm. The air was full of sulphur fumes and breathing became difficult. Death surrounded us. I wondered how many of my men were still alive! And would we be able to withstand the foe if he made a charge on our trenches? I nerved myself to remain calm. How I would have liked to lay down and sleep! Strange, that the roaring of shells through the air always produces drowsiness. I fought against this weakness. Courage returned when the bombardment seemed to slacken for a moment. However, we only deluded ourselves, for the shells were coming faster and faster and thicker and thicker. I tried to figure out the caliber of the shells, but was unable to think. Every man was hugging the wall of the trench. If we could only sleep and not wake up again, so as to be out of this hell!

"'Be careful, my friends. Now that the bombardment has ceased we can expect the enemy.' A few of the men arose with an effort. They looked at me bewildered and did not seem to understand. Their faces were the color of the earth.

"Ah, what was that? A few meters off, at the entrance of the trench, I saw soldiers like so many ants digging in the earth. They had thrown their guns aside and their only aim now was to save their comrades, who were buried under the earth by the collapse of the walls of the trench. I saw Lieutenant Bauties there giving orders.

"'Eight poor fellows are lying under there for almost two hours now,' he shouts 'Only by a miracle was I saved from being there too. It seems impossible for us to reach the men. What a terrible night this has been!'

"And with a sort of tired laugh, he added:

"'And to think that such an awful experience as this has been is never even mentioned in the reports.'"

Juvenile Police Disrupted.

New York.—The juvenile police force in the Brownsville district of Brooklyn was badly disrupted when three of its stanchest members were sent to a reform school for stealing lead pipe.